



Strong Families Make a Strong Kansas

Investigative Findings FY 2018

(July 2017 - March 2018)

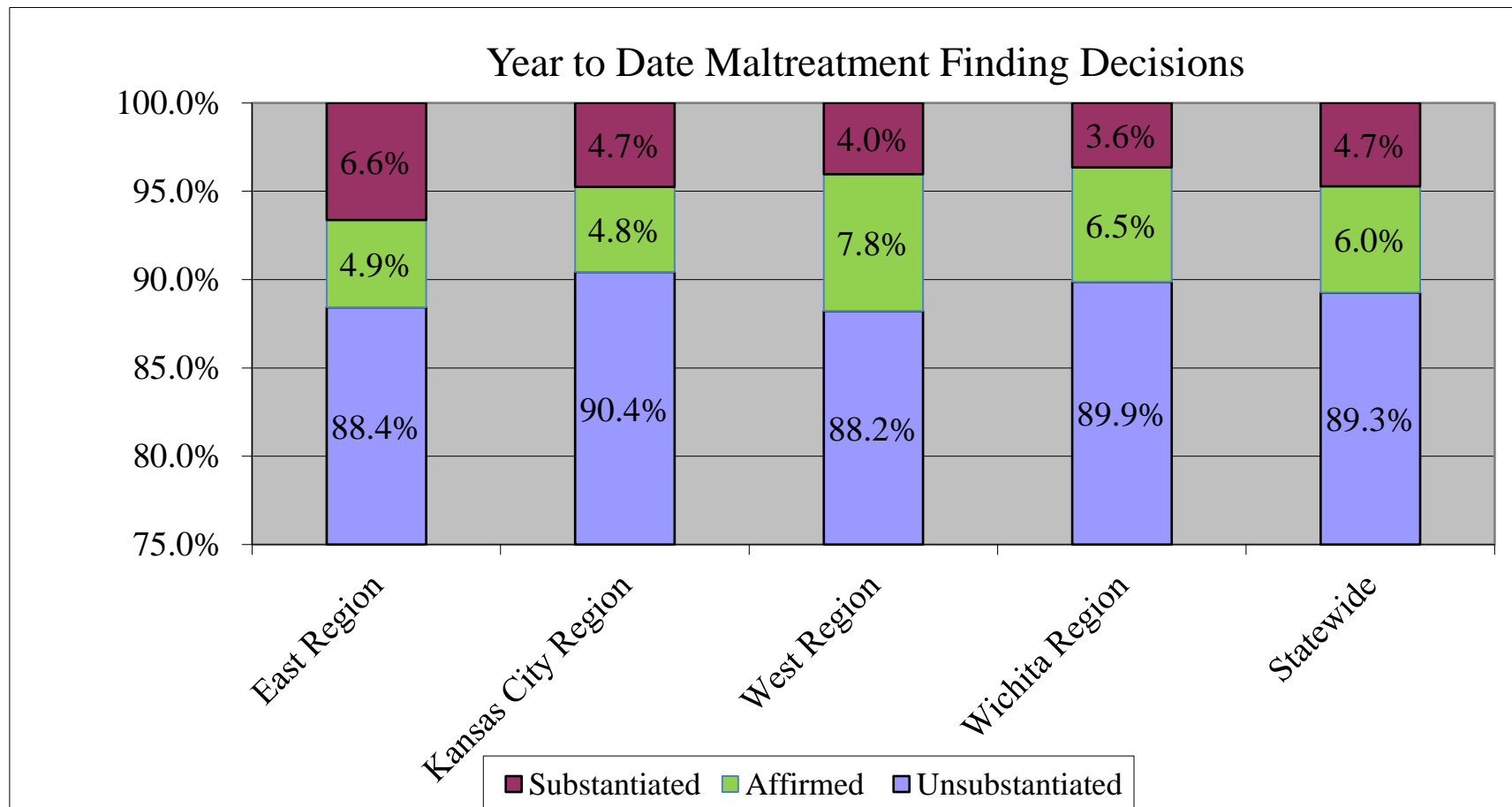
East Region	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar				YTD
Unsubstantiated Findings	500	497	383	581	635	549	647	553	551				4,896
Affirmed Findings	32	46	29	30	33	22	32	17	32				273
Substantiated Findings	53	62	32	44	39	36	44	23	34				367

Kansas City Region	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar				YTD
Unsubstantiated Findings	776	733	582	703	501	662	766	752	507				5,982
Affirmed Findings	46	40	51	43	28	32	15	46	18				319
Substantiated Findings	55	47	29	34	20	19	41	39	30				314

West Region	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar				YTD
Unsubstantiated Findings	594	659	546	774	540	595	732	624	523				5,587
Affirmed Findings	52	64	62	65	33	48	52	62	53				491
Substantiated Findings	23	37	26	32	27	33	19	31	27				255

Wichita Region	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar				YTD
Unsubstantiated Findings	498	582	523	664	596	768	611	503	562				5,307
Affirmed Findings	41	48	52	38	41	46	52	31	34				383
Substantiated Findings	19	34	14	29	23	25	17	21	33				215

Statewide	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar				YTD
Unsubstantiated Findings	2,368	2,471	2,034	2,722	2,272	2,574	2,756	2,432	2,143				21,772
Affirmed Findings	171	198	194	176	135	148	151	156	137				1,466
Substantiated Findings	150	180	101	139	109	113	121	114	124				1,151
Total	2,689	2,849	2,329	3,037	2,516	2,835	3,028	2,702	2,404				24,389
% of Unsubstantiated Findings	88.1%	86.7%	87.3%	89.6%	90.3%	90.8%	91.0%	90.0%	89.1%				89.3%
% of Affirmed Findings	6.4%	6.9%	8.3%	5.8%	5.4%	5.2%	5.0%	5.8%	5.7%				6.0%
% of Substantiated Findings	5.6%	6.3%	4.3%	4.6%	4.3%	4.0%	4.0%	4.2%	5.2%				4.7%



*The total number of investigative findings in one year do not match the number of assigned reports in that same year due to the time between date of assignment and dates of findings. A worker has 30 work days within which to complete the investigative finding, thus it is possible to have an assigned report in one year that does not have a finding completed until the following fiscal year.

Substantiated: A reasonable person weighing the facts and circumstances would conclude it is more likely than not (preponderance of the evidence) the alleged perpetrator's actions or inactions meet the abuse and/or neglect definition per applicable K.S.A. and K.A.R., and meet criteria indicating the alleged perpetrator should not be permitted to reside, work or regularly volunteer in a child care facility regulated by KDHE or DCF Foster Care and Residential Facility Licensing.

Affirmed: A reasonable person weighing the facts and circumstances would conclude it is more likely than not (preponderance of the evidence) the alleged perpetrator's actions or inactions meet the abuse and/or neglect definition per applicable K.S.A. and K.A.R.

Unsubstantiated: A reasonable person weighing the facts or circumstances would conclude it is more likely than not (preponderance of the evidence) the alleged perpetrator's actions or inactions do not meet the abuse and/or neglect definitions per applicable K.S.A. and K.A.R.